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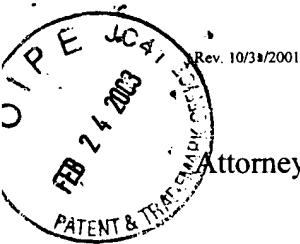
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please rewrite Claims 38-57 in the following manner. The amendments to Claims 38-57 are indicated in the attached Appendix.

38. (Once Amended) An apparatus, comprising:

a stylus configured to be manipulated against a surface and configured to be held in a hand of a user;

a sensor configured to send sensor signals to a host computer based on a manipulation of the stylus against the surface; and

an actuator coupled to the stylus and configured to apply a haptic feedback from the stylus against the surface.

39. (Once Amended) The apparatus of claim 38, wherein the actuator is configured to modify the length of the stylus.